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Sir:

We have reviewed the above-identified patent and have found the following errors which appear to require a Certificate of Correction:

TITLE PAGE, No. (56), References Cited, U.S. Patent Documents, page 2, column 1, Reference No. 11 (Information Disclosure Statement dated 10/11/05, Form 1449, page 2, U.S. Patents, Reference No. 30), "4/1957" should be --10/1957--.

TITLE PAGE, No. (56), References Cited, Other Publications, page 4, column 1, Reference No. 17 (Information Disclosure Statement dated 10/11/05, Form 1449, page 16, Other Publications, Reference No. 30), "benn" should be --been--.

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Also, please make the following errors of record in your files:

Column 1, line 52 (application page 2, line 17), "least-four bar" should be --least four-bar--.

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Column 1, line 58 (application page 2, line 22), "positioned" should be --position--.

Column 1, lines 64-65 (application page 3, line 4), "substantionally" should be -- substantially--.

Column 2, line 26 (application page 4, line 4), after "intermediate", insert --position--.

Column 2, line 37 (application page 4, line 10), "principals" should be --principles--.

Column 2, line 43 (application page 4, line 15), "FIG." should be --FIGS.--.

Column 3, line 56 (application page 7, line 9), "sealing" should be --sealingly--.

Column 5, line 32 (application page 10, line 23), after "positions", insert --.--.

Column 5, line 36 (application page 11, line 4), "FIG." should be --FIGS.--.

Column 7, line 8 (application page 14, line 18), "advantageous" should be --advantages--.

Column 7, line 18 (application page 15, line 2), "and" should be --an--.

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